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Applicant : DEWENTER, William G. Customer No. 23494
Filed : 09/18/2001
TC/A.U. : 2633
Examiner : Negash, Kinfe Michael
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For : OPTICAL WIRELESS NETWORK WITH DIRECT
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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply. Applicant is other than a small entity.

- (a) ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for other total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$ 120.00
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<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$ 570.00

Fee \$

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefore.

- ☐ An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

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☐ Extension fee due with this request \$ _____

OR

(b) ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	5	Minus	20	= 0	x \$18 =	\$ 0
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMOUNT						\$ 0

(c) ☒ No additional fee for claims is required.

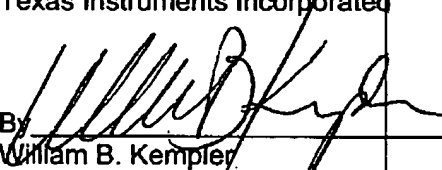
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 7, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.